Jan. 28, 1928.

Mrs. Fannie Efford Preslor,
Florence, Texas.

My dear Cousin Fannie:

Please pardon me for not thanking you for the beautiful and elegant basket. I have turned it over to Jessie, and she is going to paint it and fix it up in decorative style.

Give my love to all the family and your Father and Mother.

I am compelled to close this ~~letter~~ note, as I have a great deal of work before me, and we are all hard pressed. Business conditions are awful, and it takes a real man to stand up under them.

With love and sincere regards to all, I remain

Cordially yours,

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